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| Application Number | 10/085,514 |
| Filing Date | February 28, 2002 |
| First Named Inventor | Christoph Gürtler |
| Art Unit | 1621 |
| Examiner Name | Karl J. Puttlitz |
| Attorney Docket Number | Mo6801/LeA 34,953 |

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application.
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- iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- iv. ☐ Other _____

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CHRISTOPH GÜRTLER ET AL) EXAMINING GROUP NO: 1621
SERIAL NUMBER: 10/085,514) EXAMINER: K. J. PUTTLITZ
FILED: FEBRUARY 28, 2002)
TITLE: POLYISOCYANATES CONTAINING)
ACYLUREA GROUPS, A PROCESS)
FOR THEIR PRODUCTION AND)
THEIR USE)

AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated January 13, 2005, Applicants hereby submit the following Request For Continued Examination, amendments and remarks.

Amendments begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

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AND THEIR USE)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. the fee has been calculated as shown below:

| CLAIMS AS AMENDED | | | | | | |
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| (1) | (2) Claims Remaining After Amendment | (3) | (4) Highest No. Previously Paid For | (5) Present Extra | (6) Rate | (7) Additional Fee |
| Total Claims | * 23 | Minus | ** 21 | 2 | x 50 | \$100.00 |
| Indep. Claims | * 2 | Minus | | | x 200 | 0 |
| MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM FEE IS APPLICABLE | | | | | \$360 | 0 |
| EXTENSION OF TIME FEE UNDER § 1.136(a) Separate Petition submitted herewith | | | | | + | 0 |
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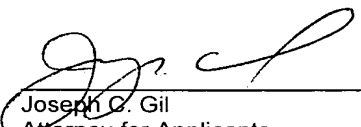
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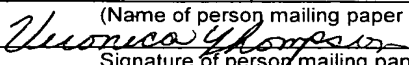
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